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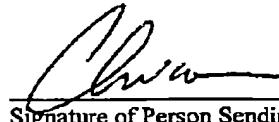
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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The undersigned attorney is acting in a representative capacity in this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.34(a). If further proof of authority to act in a representative capacity is required in this application, please notify the undersigned via the correspondence address associated with this application.

In response to the Office Action of February 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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